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Sent: Thur 5/26/2016 6:20:24 PM
Subject: REVISED RE: BPMD Comment Ext & NM Mtg Announcement
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Very minor revision to ensure it's clear this is focused on BPMD and *not* GKM response

Please use this version....sorry....

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May 26, 2016

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For information on the Gold King Mine release, please go to: <https://www.epa.gov/goldkingmine>

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I would have one person -- would recommend it be Laura Jenkins .. thanks ng

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On May 26, 2016, at 6:44 AM, StClair, Christie <StClair.Christie@epa.gov> wrote:

Laura - We have to add a media contact to the announcement. I defer to Nancy Grantham on who the point person should be.

Thanks,

Christie

Christie St. Clair

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On May 26, 2016, at 8:33 AM, Mekeel, Edward <mekeel.edward@epa.gov> wrote:

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Hi Laura,

Yes, R6 will send to NM media and state gov./reps when we have the go-ahead. We have a list and are ready for placement.

Thanks,

-Ed-

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***** Please wait for confirmation from Johanna Miller before launching next steps. *****

Attached here and embedded below is the final/fully vetted language announcing the extension of the BPMD public comment period, as well as the Farmington meeting on 6/9.

This language should be used for:

1. Congressional & NN notifications – *Planned for 1:00 pm tomorrow (5/26)*
2. Stakeholder & (other) Tribal notifications – *After (1) is completed*
3. Desk Statement - *Reactive*
4. Press releases – *After (2) is completed I plan to send to media outlets within 50 miles of Silverton and understand R6 will cover NM. Is that still the plan?*

Thank you again for your valuable input and prompt responses.

I really appreciate everyone's cooperation today!

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